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**From:** Lynda Shykora  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 02, 2019 3:44 PM  
**To:** Laura Schumi  
**Subject:** FW: Community Childcare Planning Program - District of Sicamous Response - EAD Action Item JANUARY BOARD AGENDA

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**Subject:** RE: Community Childcare Planning Program

Hi Charles,

Thanks for reaching out. The DOS will be debating on whether to apply for the \$25,000 feasibility grant at tomorrow's Council meeting. We may just forge ahead with a capital grant application. To that end, there is support to add a child care facility to our recently announced BC Housing project of 36 units. That committee meets on Monday December 17. I will have more news then.

Cheers.

Evan.



Evan Parliament, Town Manager  
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Regards and best of the season.

**Charles Hamilton**


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**Importance:** High

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**To:** Charles Hamilton <[chamilton@csrd.bc.ca](mailto:chamilton@csrd.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** RE: Community Childcare Planning Program  
**Importance:** High

Hi Charles, I'll respectfully decline if only because we have a local non-profit who is submitting to the program and has already enlisted the Town of Golden into helping.

Best,  
Jon Wilsgard, CAO/CO  
Town of Golden

**From:** Charles Hamilton [<mailto:chamilton@csrd.bc.ca>]  
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Regards and best of the season.

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Action Item - JANUARY BOARD AGENDA

**From:** Carl Bannister [<mailto:cbannister@salmonarm.ca>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 11, 2018 12:15 PM  
**To:** Charles Hamilton <[chamilton@csrd.bc.ca](mailto:chamilton@csrd.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** RE: Community Childcare Planning Program

Hi Charles. We have not received any direction to this point to make an application.

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**From:** Charles Hamilton [<mailto:chamilton@csrd.bc.ca>]  
**Sent:** December 11, 2018 11:36 AM  
**To:** Carl Bannister; CAO; Allan Chabot; Jon Wilsford  
**Cc:** Director Demenok; Director Martin; Director Simpson; Director Brooks-Hill; Director Talbot; Jennifer Sham; Lynda Shykora; Jodi Pierce  
**Subject:** Community Childcare Planning Program

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**Cc:** Gary Sulz <[gsulz@revelstoke.ca](mailto:gsulz@revelstoke.ca)>  
**Subject:** FW: Community Childcare Planning Program

Hi Charles,

Please see below. We don't intend to apply for funding and see little benefit in undertaking a study that would apparently simply serve to confirm what we already know. Thank you.

**Allan Chabot**  
**Chief Administrative Officer**

**From:** Laurie Donato  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 13, 2018 10:59 AM  
**To:** Allan Chabot <[ACHabot@revelstoke.ca](mailto:ACHabot@revelstoke.ca)>  
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**Subject:** RE: Community Childcare Planning Program

Hi Allan,

I discussed this funding opportunity at the Early Childhood Development Committee meeting in October. The consensus around the table was that we would not apply for the funding. The Early Years Centre has already done a lot of work in this area. They are the experts in childcare in our community. We know that we can open up new childcare spaces and fill those spaces with children. Our issue is the shortage of qualified service providers. We can't open new centres without more individuals who meet licensing requirements. Anyone who is a licensed Early Childhood Educator in Revelstoke is already employed. What we see happening in Revelstoke is a shift of educators as new facilities open up. Educators move from one centre to the other. This does not result in a gain of childcare spaces. When an educator leaves a facility, the number of available child care spaces in that facility decreases so there is no net gain.

If there were an opportunity through OUC to take an Early Childhood Educator (ECE) program that would help with our issue here in Revelstoke. Right now Distance Education is the only option and that is not for everyone.

**Laurie Donato**  
**Director of Parks, Recreation & Culture**

**From:** Allan Chabot  
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Are we thinking of applying for funding under this program? What are your thoughts on regional collaboration as described below? Thank you.

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